

BPA Energy Efficiency Weekly Announcements, October 3, 2013

Events

Brown Bag: Heat Pump Water Heater Overview and Update -

Join us Wednesday, October 16. Do you offer reimbursements for the installation of Heat Pump Water Heaters in your territory; have you considered adding them to your incentive portfolio? If so, you will benefit from attending the Heat Pump Water Heater Brown Bag presentation on October 16, 2013... [More](#)

EE Post-2011 Review Kickoff Meeting and Scoping Document Available -

A public meeting to discuss the document and the process forward is scheduled for November 22, 2013 in Portland, Oregon and by web and telephone. Please mark your calendar. The EE Post-2011 scoping document is available for stakeholder review... [More](#)

General

Public Power Research Group: Kick off Webinar -

BPA is reviving the Public Power Research Group which has been on hiatus since January of 2012. This is a group composed primarily of those who conduct planning and evaluation for their utilities or have research and evaluation experience, but anyone interested in details of BPA research and providing feedback on research design and approaches is welcome to participate... [More](#)

Program Updates

BPA to Offer Opportunity to Partner with Utilities on PTCS Quality Assurance -

Over the past six months, BPA staff gathered input and vetted options for PTCS Quality Assurance (QA). This process determined that there are utilities who are interested in partnering with BPA on PTCS QA and that these opportunities could provide the region with more comprehensive QA coverage at a better price than other options considered. Utilities that would like to conduct their own quality assurance inspections, and who have a qualified QA inspector on staff or under contract, are invited to enter into an agreement with BPA for inspections conducted in their service territories... [More](#)



Regional Heat Pump Water Heater Promotions Offer Additional Savings -

Jumpstart your heat pump water heater initiatives with fall promotions that feature additional savings from retailers and manufacturers. Beginning Sept. 25, 2013, Smart Water Heat is partnering with retailers and manufacturers on three promotions that provide up to 50 percent price reductions for new heat pump water heaters... [More](#)

Policy on Self Funded Savings Attribution -

As a reminder, measures to be reimbursed with FY 12/13 EEI funds must be reported into IS2.0 by 10:00am on Sept. 30. BPA would like to clarify that this deadline is only applicable to EEI funded measures. Measures that are 100% self funded that have completion dates prior to Oct. 1, 2013 will be attributed to the FY 12/13 rate period regardless of when they are invoiced... [More](#)

Reminders

BPA Lighting Calculator 3.0 Released on October 1 is Now Available -

After much ballyhoo and a few postponements the BPA Lighting Team has released Lighting Calculator 3.0 on October 1st. A utility brownbag webinar followed October 2nd to provide an overview of the new platform with additional webinars planned... [More](#)